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# Terms and Conditions of Sale

**CONDITIONS**—All orders are accepted subject to government regulations affecting labor, transportation, materials and on the specific condition that they shall be non-effective should injury to stock occur, or other eventuality beyond our control take place, altering the condition of plants in such way as to render them unsuitable for sale and delivery.

**PAYMENT**—Our terms are cash. In cases where the purchaser is well known and credit responsibility established, 30 days terms will be granted. If plants are to be reserved for later shipment, a 25% cash deposit will be required that the plant may be selected and tagged. No C.O.D. shipments will be made.

**PACKING AND SHIPPING**—All Camellias will be balled and burlapped. If they are to be shipped out of Jacksonville, they will be securely crated for 10% of the total cost of the plants, but for a minimum charge of \$2.00 per crate. Four Camellias may be placed in one crate if not larger than three feet. We recommend Railway Express as a means of transportation, but will be guided by your instructions in that regard. Our responsibility ceases upon delivery to the carrier. Risk and cost of transportation are for the purchaser's account.

**MINIMUM ORDERS**—Mail orders for less than \$10.00, if to be crated, cannot be accepted.

**SUBSTITUTIONS**—No substitutions will be made unless directed by the purchaser. Some varieties are scarce and second choice might well be made in your original order, if desirable to the purchaser.

**GUARANTY**—We guarantee Camellias and Azaleas to be true to name, well rooted, well grown, healthy, free of scale, properly packed and shipped. We cannot guarantee plants to live, since the planting, care and growing conditions to which they are subjected after leaving the nursery are out of our control. If you plant them properly and thereafter give them the care they deserve, they will do well.

In growing understock plants for grafting, we transplant them every two years, assuring thorough rooting-pruning, and thick, heavy root system. Our grafted plants bring you all the roots that grow the top.

**GRAFTED CAMELLIAS**—Occasionally grafts produce variegated flowers though theretofore a solid color. However, we fail to recall an instance where the new variegation proved less desirable. In some cases the new flower has been highly prized. An example is *Rosea Superba Variegated*. This occurrence is due to some influence in the understock and we make no claim to an understanding of this behavior. Even so, we guarantee the scions, as to truth of variety, though they may sometimes act as here indicated.



## CAMELLIAS

The Camellias listed in our catalogue this year are made up of varieties which we regard as the best. The selection has been made because these varieties, in our judgment, are highly desirable on account of the excellence of the flowers; the fact that they make good shrubs; the habit of growth is strong and they grow into healthy, vigorous plants. There are other Camellias which have some of these qualities, but, in selecting the varieties we propagate and offer the trade, our purpose has been to carry only those which embrace the characteristics here outlined. There are a few exceptions in the list because of some very outstanding quality which demands that we grow and offer them.

Camellias have come to be highly regarded as an evergreen blooming shrub for gardens in the South. They are strikingly beautiful as individual specimens planted in the lawn, at the corner of buildings, or, in borders. Many gardeners in recent years have set them in beds in one place in the garden; dealing with them as nearly all gardeners formerly treated roses. There are many ways they can be used to advantage in landscaping.

## FEATURE CAMELLIAS THIS SEASON

This small group consists of a few especially good varieties comparatively new to the nursery trade. Camellia fanciers cannot afford to be without them.

**HIGH HAT**—Large, double peony type with cluster of small petaloids in center, pale pink. This is the very rare light pink sport of lovely Daikagura. Slow, upright and compact growth with large, pointed dull green foliage heavily serrated. Very early bloomer.

**VIRGIN'S BLUSH**—A new and much talked about Camellia. Medium to large size, full double, blush pink. Midseason bloomer. Very fast up-right grower.

**MRS. BALDWIN WOOD**—Medium large, irregular double white with a pink stripe on one or more petals. The petals lie flat while inner petals are in-curved and sometimes over-reach the golden stamens in center. Blooms last well and open at mid-season, taking severe cold without damage. Strong grower, tending to spread, showing dark, shiny green foliage. A handsome shrub and lovely flower. One of the best.



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**ROSEA SUPERBA VARIEGATED**—A lovely variegation of Rosea Superba. Very large, full double, imbricated blossom, sometimes 6 inches across. Soft light pink with small white spots, or marbling. Leaves dull green. A vigorous, upright grower. Very free flowering from early to late midseason. This is our choice of all Camellias.

**VILLE de NANTES**—A semi-double cherry red marbled and streaked with white showing a round cluster of stamen. Petals are long and narrow somewhat crinkled, frequently several petals stand erect at center and are twisted. The flower, habit of growth, foliage and coloring are very similar to Donkelaari of which it is probably a sport. No other new variety has been so much discussed and praised.

**MRS. FREEMAN WEISS VARIEGATED**—A fairly large semi-double soft pink with loose, wavy petals, showing stamen mixed with small petals in center. Last season one of our stock plants bloomed heavily variegated with white. These flowers were lovely and we hope our graftings from that plant will develop similarly. Light green, pointed leaves. Upright, fast, bushy grower. One of the best, mid-season bloomer.

**MRS. C. M. WILSON**—This is a sport of the old favorite Elegans (Chandler), having similarly formed flowers, but, shading from silvery white on the outer petals to a beautiful shade of pink at the center. The petaloids are silvery white mixed with golden stamens in center, sometimes showing a brilliant strawberry red immediately around this cluster. Midseason bloomer. Growth habits and foliage are the same as Chandleri. Outstandingly beautiful.

**DAIKAGURA (WARD STRAIN)**—A number of Camellia fanciers regard Daikagura as having no superior. The Ward Strain of Daikagura is a beautifully variegated bloom. No one can tell what grafting will do to it, but, the original plant has shown its bloom true for several years. It is 80% to 90% white and frequently has pink at the margins of the bloom. Its growth habits, foliage and general characteristics are the same as the regular Daikagura described in this catalogue under Choice Camellias, Variegated.

**BLACK DRAGON VARIEGATED**—This form of the Black Dragon, has blooms variegated and shows about 25% white. It is a very lovely sport of the solid red Black Dragon. Its general characteristics are the same except for the variegated blooms.

**THELMA DALE**—In this lovely variety we have a solid pink sport of Mrs. Baldwin Wood. We regard it as one of the best pinks. All characteristics of the variety are those of the Mrs. Baldwin Wood except for the solid pink coloring. See Mrs. Baldwin Wood as described above.



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**PRIDE OF DESCANSO (S-103)**—While this variety is new, it promises to be the most outstanding white to come on the market in years. The growth appears to be strong and vigorous. The foliage is pointed, dark green and large. The bloom is very large, pure white, semi-double to loose peony.

**MORNING GLOW**—This is a beautiful new white. Complete double, much like Alba Plena but larger, does not lay flat on opening and is of finer texture. The plant is upright in growth and extremely vigorous. The foliage is pointed, large and shiny, dark green. It is a fast growing, hardy and healthy shrub. This is about the best formal type white produced in years.

**CRUSADER**—The flower is very large, peony type and of much depth. It is a deep red, the base petals being large and evenly spaced while the center petals, also large, are incurved and twisted, sometimes intermingled with yellow stamens. The plant is compact and bushy, showing large leaves very dark and shiny green.

**PAULETTE GODDARD**—A very large, brilliant red flower, loose peony type representing one of the finer new Camellias. Good foliage, light, dull green and apparently a good upright grower. We have not had it long enough to adequately judge its growth habits.

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GRAFTS—	12/15"	\$12.50
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	18/24"	17.50
	2/3'	20.00
	3/4'	27.50

## RARE CAMELLIAS

The varieties here listed are highly regarded by experts and are scarce. No nursery has them in abundance. Some of them are new and all of them are in such demand as to prevent accumulation in quantity.

### WHITE

**WHITE EMPRESS**—Extremely large semi-double white. Stamens massed in center cast a yellow glow over the entire bloom. A handsome shrub rather tall and dense with rich green leaves. An outstanding Camellia. A midseason bloomer.



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**BESSIE BELLINGRATH**—Semi-double white with delicate blush pink, formed somewhat like Snowdrift, but with many more petals. Midseason bloomer. Slow, up-right grower with long narrow, dull green leaves. Very highly regarded.

**WHITE CRANE (Haku Tsuru)**—A very fine white shaped like Victor Emanuel and as large. Large, light green leaves. A tall open grower but vigorous and hardy.

**WHITE SWAN**—Large semi-double white, opening rather flat with prominent stamens. The outer petals show light pink on the back. Midseason bloomer. Fast, up-right grower with narrow, long, thick leaves dark green.

**YOBEKI-DORI**—A new Japanese importation which appears to grow tall and open with narrow pointed foliage, dark dull green. The habits of growth appear strong. The blooms are lovely, white, flushed pale pink. It has slender petals with rather blunt ends, strongly resembling Imura. Withal a very lovely Camellia.

## PINK

**CREPE ROSETTE**—Semi-peony type beautiful pink. Petals stand apart and are shaded white at margins. Few stamens. Foliage light green. Rounded growth, vigorous, symmetrical and medium height. Blooms from early to late midseason.

**CHALICE (HANA FUKI)**—A new Camellia which bids fair to become very popular. A beautiful shade of soft baby pink. Medium size flower semi-double stiff, crinkled petals that last well. Dull green foliage. The variety is new and its growth characteristics are not known. A midseason bloomer.

**GENERAL PATTON**—Large, rose form, double, bright pink flower. A midseason bloomer. Vigorous, up-right, open grower. Very attractive.

**LILA ROSA**—Deep, clear pink flower, formed somewhat like Debutante, sometimes showing a few white specks. Blooms early and continues through midseason. Fast, willowy growth, with large, light green foliage. Another new seedling which is regarded very highly.

**ROSEA SUPERBA**—A very large, full double and imbricated bloom, soft, light pink, often 6 inches in diameter. A very free bloomer from early to late season. Foliage large, dull green. Growth is symmetrical, upright and vigorous, making a dense, shapely shrub. We regard this variety as the best pink Camellia.



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**ROSE MALLOW**—Semi-double very large flower frequently 5 to 6 inches in diameter. Soft. Pink. Blooms late midseason. Very large dark green leaves rounded. Strong grower and makes a handsome shrub. One of the best.

**DUCHESS OF SUTHERLAND (Solid Pink)**—A very striking type of the Duchess of Sutherland, which has few superiors. The flower is exactly the same, but, is a solid pink sport of the Duchess. The foliage, blooming period and growth habits are the same as the Duchess of Sutherland described in this catalogue under Choice Camellias, Variegated.

**MARY CHARLOTTE (S-32)**—This variety has not been in the trade long enough to know its growth habits. It appears to be a strong grower with medium sized pointed foliage, shiny green. The blooms are rather large, somewhat in the form of Chandler's Elegans. It manifests a beautiful pale pink. The petals stand apart and present a lovely bloom.

## RED

**BLACK DRAGON**—Flowers very large, shaped somewhat like Victor Emanuel. Colored very dark, deep red like rich Port Wine. Petals are long, stand up-right, are crinkled at edges and are darker at margins. Yellow stamens show at center. Large dark green leaves, a moderate grower and good shrub. One of the best new varieties to appear in years.

**CONFLAGRATION**—Large semi-double fiery red flower with petaloids and stamens mixed and crinkled. Leaves are narrow and medium glossy green. Appears to be an upright grower, but too new to have manifested its characteristics as a shrub. The flower is most striking. A midseason bloomer.

**EUGENE BOLEN**—A solid cherry red sport of Donkelaari. Form of flower and habit of growth the same. A very large bloom and much admired. Blooms in midseason.

**FLAME**—Very large semi-double orange red flower with small cluster of stamens in center. Blossom holds up well for days in full sun, or cold. Foliage medium light green. Tall fast grower. This is one of the better varieties. Midseason bloomer.

**LAWRENCE WALKER**—A very large red of loose peony type, showing a few stamens, a beautiful midseason bloomer. While this variety is too new to determine the character of the shrub it manifests evidence of growing into a beautiful specimen. Foliage is large, dark green and hardy, vigorous grower.

**LETITIA SCHRADER**—An outstanding Camellia. Very large, deep red flower, shaped like a round medallion. Heavy guard



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petals with smaller petals inside surrounding a small cluster of yellow stamens at center. Blooms last well and withstand severe cold, sturdy and upright. A midseason bloomer.

**MARTIN ROBERTS (Woodville Red)**—Enormous, peony type bloom almost round like a ball with numerous and long petals, a few yellow stamen intermingled. In November the color is deep rose pink. Later, as colder weather comes the color is dark, lively red. Tall vigorous, compact grower in full sun, but rather open in shade. Leaves are pale green and twisted. Long blooming period, but not free flowering until the plant grows older. An outstanding Camellia for which we expect a great future.

**IMPERATOR (French)**—Very large tight peony formed garnet red flower. Midseason bloomer. Up-right, column like grower with large, bright green foliage. A very beautiful Camellia not to be confused with one known in the trade as Emperor. The original plant of this stock came from Nantes, France.

## VARIEGATED

**BIG BEAUTY**—Large, loose, peony type, white with pink stripes. The outer petals lie flat, while the inner petals are twisted and sometimes are hooked over grouped golden stamens in center. A mid-season bloomer and few variegated Camellias are its equal. Strong, up-right loose grower with dull, green foliage.

**ADMIRAL NIMITZ**—The bloom somewhat resembles Laurel Leaf, beautiful shade of pink with most flowers variegated white. Petals tend to stand up and curve inward. Heavy bloomer. Foliage long, narrow and light green. Tall, strong grower. One of the best of the new varieties.

**COLLETTI (French Strain)**—Medium size, peony formed deep red, marbled white. A beautiful flower. Leaves are long and pointed, dark green. Upright, open grower in partial shade. Our strain comes from a Mother plant imported from Nantes, France.

**GLENN No. 40 VARIEGATED**—Exactly like Glenn No. 40 solid red, except it is flecked and spotted with white. The variegated Glenn No. 40 is extremely rare. Few have it. See description of solid red Glenn No 40.

**KELLINGTONIA (French Strain)**—A huge, semi-double, red, heavily mottled white. Large outer petals with smaller petals and stamens mixed toward center. Broad, pointed, dark green leaves. Sturdy, vigorous, open grower. Our stock came from the original importation, Guichard sisters of Nantes, France. Midseason bloomer.

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**LINDSEY NEAL**—Large, semi-double to loose peony flower dark rich petals with smaller petals in center mixed with stamens. Heavily marbled white. Large, pointed leaves, medium green. Strong, but slow grower, spreading and tending to be open. Highly desirable. An early bloomer.

**MADAME de MAINTENON VARIEGATED**—This variety is a sport of the solid pink Madame de Maintenon. Please see description of the parent. They are exactly alike, except this form is marbled with pure white. A midseason bloomer and is recommended as a most pleasing Camellia.

**MARCHIONESS of SALISBURY**—Medium size, loose peony, deep red flowers heavily mottled white. Blooms midseason. Narrow, medium light green leaves. Spreading grower and rather slow, though hardy. Highly regarded by many fanciers.

**MARGARET JACK**—Large semi-double with swirled petals, white finely streaked and blotched with crimson. Medium compact growth with small, dark green foliage. A midseason bloomer and one of the finest of its type.

**PINK GLORY VARIEGATED**—Large, semi-double, pink and white flower with long, narrow petals standing apart. Petaloids mixed with stamens. Long, narrow foliage, glossy green. A good grower and hardy. Midseason bloomer. Very fine.

**ROBERT NORTON**—Very large semi-double, well formed flower, white with one or two pink stripes and showing numerous stamens in center. Early bloomer. Loose, open grower, but sturdy, with medium to large, dark green, leathery leaves.

**CREPE ROSETTE VARIEGATED**—This is a variegated sport of the very lovely solid pink Crepe Rosette described above. In all respects it is the same except for the white splotches against the light pink background.

**FLAME VARIEGATED**—A lovely form of the solid red Flame described in our Rare Camellias, Red. See that section for a description of the flower itself and the plant.

**KENNY**—Lovely semi-double flower, deep pink marbled white often cherry red and white, depending on soil conditions. Flowers are exceptionally large. Numerous petals, upstanding, cause the bloom to show much depth. Stamen show in center. Large round dark green leaves. Upright, handsome shrub, very shapely, midseason bloomer. Not a new variety, but unaccountable, not available until recently. Our stock came from the original plant imported from the Guichard sisters, Nantes, France.



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## CHOICE CAMELLIAS

This group embraces some new varieties but consists, chiefly, of names well known and which have been tested by experience. Included here are Camllias among the best regardless of classification.

### WHITE

**ELIZABETH BOARDMAN**—Enormous white, semi-double peony-like blooms, with yellow stamens mixed with petals. The flower looks like a big white Christmas ball. Light green, rounded foliage. Upright, strong grower and free bloomer at midseason. It has few superiors.

**FRIZZLE WHITE**—Semi-double pure white, very large flower with wavy, crinkled petals intermixed with yellow stamens. Foliage large and pointed. A strong, tall grower. Blooms with us at midseason.

**HAKU RAKUTEN (REFUGEE)**—Large, semi-double to loose peony pure white flowers. Stamens mixed with small petals in center. Light green smooth foliage. Vigorous, upright and symmetrical grower. A beautiful Camellia. Midseason bloomer.

**HENNINGHAM SMITH**—This white is said to be a sport of Alba Plena, to which it is very similar, but has a few short stamens when fully open. Foliage and growth habits are the same as Alba Plena. An early bloomer.

**IMURA**—Beautiful white, semi-double flower with long narrow petals, showing prominent stamens in center. Some flowers are 5 1/2 inches in diameter. Long, narrow, pointed, drooping dark green foliage. Upright, open grower. Midseason bloomer.

**K. SAWADA (U. S. PATENT No. 431)**—White, very double and fully imbricated, 5 inches in diameter. Petals re-curve and stand apart. Blooms freely at midseason. Foliage medium size dark green. Vigorous, semi-upright grower. Sold under contract with patentee.

**SEPTEMBER MORN**—Large, double, creamy white flower, loosely formed with inner petals mixed with grouped stamens and

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petaloids. Early bloomer. Tends toward spreading growth with medium large, rounded, dark green foliage.

**MRS. CHARLES SIMONS**—A large, semi-double white flower with stamens mixed with petals at center. Light green, elongated pointed foliage. Fast, upright, symmetrical grower. Blooms at midseason.

**SNOWDRIFT**—Semi-double lovely white round cluster of stamens in center. Petals are large and have sufficient substance to hold their form. Flower lasts well. Long, narrow, dull green foliage. Tall, fast grower, making a splendid shrub. Very free bloomer at midseason. An exceptionally good variety.

**VICTORY WHITE**—Loose peony white flower, four to five inches across. Small petals and stamens intermingled at center with larger twisted petals outside. Medium large, rich green leaves. A compact upright grower, blooming heavily at midseason.

**WHITE GIANT**—Semi-double pure white with stamens at center. One of the larger Camellia blossoms. Midseason bloomer. Very large dark and shiny, green leaves, occasionally variegated. Strong, fast grower. Very fine.

**WHITE QUEEN**—Very large semi-double pure white flower about 5 inches in diameter. Petals rather small and pointed. Blooms at midseason. Large, shiny green leaves. Upright fast grower.

## PINK

**BESSIE McARTHUR**—Large, semi-double, clear, deep pink with three or four layers of very large petals and prominent stamens intermingled with small petals at center. Strong, bushy grower but upstanding, with large glossy green foliage. A lovely flower and handsome shrub.

**DEBUTANTE**—Large, peony-type delicate pink flower. Light green, serrated foliage. Upright, shapely grower, an early bloomer. Long a favorite.

**ELEANOR HAGOOD**—A medium size, imbricated, very double flower, pale pink. When fully open the flower is blush pink at center, shading deeper toward its margin. Dark green leaves. Upright, strong grower, making a good shrub. Blooms late.

**EMPRESS**—Very large, semi-double deep rose pink sometimes six inches across. Round cluster of stamens in center. Foliage glossy, dark green. Spreading grower, sturdy and strong. A prolific bloomer during midseason.

**JOSEPHINE DUELL**—Soft, light shade of pink having a loose peony-type blossom of medium size. A midseason bloomer and very lovely. Foliage is good and a medium tall, but compact grower.



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**LADY MARY CROMARTIE**—Large loose, semi-double rose pink flower with stamens mixed with petals. Leaves are large, light green. Upright, strong and shapely grower. Midseason bloomer.

**MADAME de MAINTENON**—Rather large, loose, semi-double light, lovely shade of soft pink. Large rounded petals form themselves into the shape of a cup, showing stamens at the center. Wide, pointed, dark green foliage. Strong, sturdy grower, developing a shapely rounded shrub. Strikingly beautiful. A midseason bloomer.

**MAGNOLIAFLORA**—Medium size semi-double light pink, shading to blush pink at margins of petals. Stamens in center. Narrow, pointed medium glossy green foliage. Upright, slow, but sturdy grower. A midseason bloomer. Most desirable and highly valuable.

**MARGARET HIGDON**—Rather large, loose peony-type flower showing white frosting on margins of petals. Rose red, or deep pink in color. Glossy green foliage. Upright, fast and shapely growth, rather open. Blooms freely at midseason.

**MARTHA BRICE**—A delicate, light pink. Midseason bloomer, semi-double, loose peony-type. Leaves are large, dark green and almost round. A bushy strong grower.

**COUNTE de NESSELRODE**—Semi-double to loose peony form, blush pink with rose pink stripes. A most unusual and beautiful flower. Midseason to late bloomer. Bushy grower with small, light green foliage.

**PINK BALL**—Soft, light pink flower, peony-type. A little like Debutante. Dull green foliage. Upright grower and compact shrub. Blooms very freely at midseason.

**PINK GLORY (Finlandia-F. N.)**—Medium large, light rose pink, semi-double, loosely formed flower with long, narrow petals.

A midseason bloomer. Upright, loose grower with long dull green foliage. This variety and its variegated sport are, both, splendid.

**PINK STAR**—Loose peony-type flower, bright rose pink, yellow stamens intermingled with petals. Outer petals large and pointed. Dark green foliage. Upright, slow grower forming a dense shrub. A favorite with many and blooms in midseason.

**REVEREND JOHN BENNETT**—Very large semi-double light pink with white frosting on petals. Prominent cluster of stamens. Petals stand erect and well apart. Long and narrow light green foliage. Open grower, but upright. Free flowering at midseason.

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This variety has long been regarded as splendid. A Magnolia Garden original.

**ROSE DAWN (DAVIS)**—Large, rose pink, full double, fully imbricated flowers, formed like Alba Plena. Blooms very freely in midseason. Foliage serrated, crinkled, dark green. A vigorous grower, rather spreading. This is one of the best.

**MRS. K. SAWADA (U. S. PATENT No. 481)**—Delicate pink, shading to porcelain white. Full double and imbricated. Medium size flower with many small petals loosely tied together. Leaves are small and rounded. Fast, upright grower, making a compact shrub. Flowers last well. Sold under contract with patentee.

**SMILING BEAUTY**—Semi-double rather full flower, medium size, delicate pink, very fine. Leaves small, dark green. Dense, upright grower. Midseason bloomer.

**SWEETI VERA**—Large, peony-type flesh pink, flecked with rose pink. Very pretty. Medium size, dull green foliage. Hardy and open grower. Midseason bloomer.

**TEA GARDEN No. 113 (GRANDIFLORA ROSEA)**—A semi-double deep rose pink, loosely formed, very large flower. The inner layer of petals are somewhat twisted affording a most pleasing effect. Leaves large and shiny, dark green. Tall fast grower and a mid-season bloomer.

**TINKY LEE**—Large, semi-double, light pink with creped petals. Stamens and small petals mixed at center. Very pretty. Medium to small leaves and strong grower. Blooms at midseason.

## RED

**PEARL HARBOR**—Very large red flower, loose peony center with long outer guard petals. Very vigorous grower, stocky branches and large leaves. Very hardy and beautiful shrub.

**ADOLPH AUDUSSON RED**—A very large, semi-double deep red flower with heavy cluster of stamens at center divided into three sections. Large, deep green foliage. Upright, strong and sturdy grower. Free flowering at midseason. One of the best solid reds.

**MRS. CHARLES COBB**—Large, loose, peony-like dark red flower with tinge of copper. Orange yellow stamens intermixed with petals. Strong, upright grower. Large rounded dark glossy green leaves. Few varieties make better shrub. A midseason bloomer.

**DUNCAN BELL**—Very large, full double, semi-peony type flower. Brilliant deep red. Oblong, large, dark, shiny green leaves. Strong, fast grower with sturdy branches.



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**EMPEROR OF RUSSIA**—Full peony-type flower, rather large brilliant, deep scarlet red. Yellow stamens are interspersed with the inner petals. Dark green, large foliage. A slow, bushy grower. A very highly regarded Camellia, blooming in midseason.

**FIREGOLD**—Very large, fiery red semi-double to peony shaped flower with a prominent cluster of yellow stamens. Dull green, rounded leaves. Slow, open and spreading grower. Blooms late midseason.

**GLENN No. 40**—Full double, large imbricated flower, opening nearly flat. Deep, rich red, yet a lively color. Shows stamens when fully open. The flower has numerous petals. Blossoms are beautiful and last well. Glossy, deep green leaves, pointed. Upright, sturdy, though rather slow grower. Makes a good shrub. There are few better varieties. Blooms late midseason.

**HENRY MIDDLETON**—Large, semi-double deep red, cluster of golden stamens in center. Four rows of large petals forming a fluffy shapely flower, which sometimes shows strong white variegations. You are fortunate if you get one with such marking. Big leaves, glossy, dark green. Upright shapely, strong grower. Blooms in midseason.

**MATHOTIANA RUBRA**—An immense deep red flower full double and imbricated until fully open. Shows stamens when entirely open in warm weather. Long pointed dull green foliage. Upright and vigorous grower. Very free bloomer at midseason. Probably the most popular of the reds.

**ST. ANDRE**—Peony flower very large. Carmine crimson in color and blooms late midseason. Leaves dark green thick and large. Vigorous, dense grower, making an especially desirable shrub.

**VEDRINE**—Large, loose, deep red, semi-double to peony type flower with yellow stamens intermingled with numerous petaloids in center. It is exquisite in its color and formation. Midseason bloomer. Rather slow, open grower with dull green, twisted foliage. This one makes a great show when in full bloom and has few superiors.

**ARAJISHI**—A medium size peony formed deep red flower with large outer petals and center filled with petaloids. Earliest bloomer of all Camellias. Fast, open grower with dark, glossy green foliage.

## VARIEGATED

**ADOLPH AUDUSSON VARIEGATED**—Exactly like Audusson solid red, except flowers are heavily variegated with pure white. Some blooms are mottled, others are streaked with white, sometimes producing a lacy effect and you are fortunate indeed to get one so marked. See description of solid red.

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**ASPACIA**—Large, full, peony flower, bright red with white markings, formed like Emperor of Russia. Rounded, large, dark green leaves. Compact, rounded shrub. A midseason bloomer.

**BEAUTY OF GREENVILLE**—Medium large peony flower, deep red, mottled white. Tall grower. A healthy, strong plant. A very satisfactory variety. A midseason bloomer.

**CATHERINE CATHCART**—Medium to large formal double, light pink, marbled white. Petals curve inward a little, making a most pleasing effect. Foliage light green and rounded. Tall open grower, very free bloomer in late midseason. Highly desirable.

**DAIKAGURA**—Large deep rose, thick, peony-type flowers, frequently blotched heavily with white. A very early bloomer. Flowers opening in September. Dark green, pointed leaves, heavily serrated. Bushy, willowy grower, making a good shrub. The early and long blooming season, lovely flowers and shapely shrub make this a highly desirable sort.

**DONKELAARI**—Large, semi-double, deep red (almost cherry) flowers, marbled with white. Sometimes a plant shows heavily white laced through the petals. Stamens in round cluster in center. Long narrow medium green foliage. A tall, upright grower. A mid-season bloomer. An outstanding variety universally regarded as one of the best.

**DUCHESS OF SUTHERLAND**—Large semi-double white with an occasional pink stripe in one petal. Round cluster of petals in center. A midseason bloomer. Oval, shiny, medium green leaves. Erect, tall, fast grower.

**ELEANOR OF FAIROAKS**—Large, loose, peony-type flower, dark red, marbled with white. Bright yellow stamens mixed petaloids in center. Dull dark green foliage. Upright slender grower. A great favorite in Mississippi. Blooms late midseason.

**ELIZABETH ARDEN**—Medium size light pink mottled with white. It opens in the form of a rose, later developing into a semi-double. Foliage medium green, long and narrow. Medium grower, rounded and symmetrical. A late bloomer.

**IL TRAMENTO**—Medium size formal double, fully imbricated, deep pink with white spots, a lovely flower. Leaves large dark and leathery. Compact, rounded growth, strong and vigorous. A mid-season bloomer. Foliage and habit of growth entirely different from Laurel Leaf, though the flower somewhat resembles it.

**EMPRESS VARIEGATED**—See description of Empress. This variety is the same except that it is heavily mottled white.

**GIGANTEA**—Semi-double enormous dark red flower marbled white. Very spectacular bloom. Broad, but pointed, dark green foliage. Upright, strong, open grower. A late midseason bloomer.



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**C. M. HOVEY (MATHOTIANA RUBRA VARIEGATED)**—A full double imbricated deep crimson flower, marbled and speckled with pure white. Exactly like Mathotiana Rubra except variegated white. Foliage and growth habits are exactly like Mathotiana Rubra. Midseason bloomer. One of the best.

**LADY JANE GRAY**—Large fluffy, semi-double flower, cherry red, heavily variegated white. Stamens are interspersed among center petals. Foliage light green, narrow and pointed. Sturdy, strong grower, but rather slow. This is a seedling from Donkelaari and very desirable. Blooms midseason.

**LADY VAN SITTART VARIEGATED**—Exactly like Lady Van Sittart except the flower is pure white with cardinal red stripes and lines sometimes spotted with red. Very highly regarded. See description of Lady Van Sittart. A midseason bloomer.

**LA REINE VARIEGATED**—This is a sport of Lady Mary Cromartie with white streaks and spots. Flower, foliage and habit of growth similar to its parent. See description of Lady Mary Cromartie (pink). Midseason bloomer.

**LAUREL LEAF**—Large, full double, imbricated flower, beautiful shade of light pink spotted white. It has many small petals, edges re-curving inward. Flower opens flat. Long narrow, pointed olive green leaves. Upright, compact, strong grower. A very fine midseason bloomer.

**NAGASAKI**—Large, semi-double red mottled white. Loose, wavy petals and prominent cluster of yellow stamens. Foliage dark, glossy green and rounded. Sturdy, spreading plant. Blooms late midseason.

**PAEONIFLORA**—Large, white peony-type, flecked with pink. Occasional solid pink and sometimes half pink and white. Flowers 5 to 6 inches across. Deep green, rounded leaves. Vigorous upright grower. Heavy bloomer at midseason.

**PRINCESS BACHANACHI**—Medium size full double, dark red blooms, spotted with white, fully imbricated, which last for days. Round dark shiny green leaves. A tall, open grower, vigorous and hardy. Very desirable and a midseason bloomer.

## PRICES CHOICE CAMELLIA'S

Own Root		Grafts		Extra Heavy Specimens	
12/18"	\$ 7.50	12/18"	\$10.00	24/30"	\$18.50
18/24"	10.00	18/24"	12.50	30/36"	22.50
24/30"	12.50	24/30"	15.00	3/4'	27.50
30/36"	15.00	30/36"	17.50		
3/4'	17.50	3/4'	20.00		
4/5'	22.50	4/5'	25.00		

## CLASS "A" CAMELLIAS

In this classification has been placed a collection of splendid varieties. It includes some of the best. They have grown plentiful in the nurseries and prices are reduced correspondingly.

### WHITE

**ALBA PLENA**—Pure white, very double, medium size flowers fully imbricated. Very early bloomer, but sets bud sparsely as a young plant. Foliage medium green, narrow and crinkled. Slow grower, one of the oldest and best known Camellias.

**PURITY**—Medium to large, full double, imbricated white flowers. Free bloomer in midseason. Long, pointed dark green foliage. A slow but sturdy grower. One of the most satisfactory whites.

### PINK

**RAINY SUN**—Large, semi-double rose colored flower with round cluster of stamens. Narrow, twisted leaves. Upright, dense grower. Blooms freely at midseason. Very good variety.

**REV. JOHN G. DRAYTON**—A semi-double light pink flower medium size. Very pretty. Glossy, light green foliage. Vigorous, compact and shapely grower. A very desirable Camellia because of its several good qualities.

### RED

**AUNT JETTY**—Exactly like Gov. Mouton, except this variety is solid red. See description of Gov. Mouton, which is variegated.

**ELEANOR NOBILE**—Medium size, red rose bud flowers. Narrow twisted foliage. Tall grower and a late bloomer.

**HELEN OF TROY**—Large, semi-double bright red with a prominent cluster of stamens in center. Leaves are oval and pointed, dark green. Upright, rounded, fast grower, very hardy. A midseason bloomer.

**DR. W. G. LEE**—Dark velvety red, semi-double blossom stamens prominent. Originated by Dr. Lee of Macon, Georgia. Deep green rounded, glossy foliage. Loose spreading grower. Midseason bloomer.

**LADY VAN SITTART**—Medium to large semi-double, crimson red flower. A very free bloomer at midseason. Long narrow, deep green leaves, crinkled. Upright, sturdy grower.



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**MONJISU**—Semi-double, medium size flowers, bright carmen in color. This variety also comes variegated with white spots. Foliage small, dark green and twisted. A slow grower, forming a rounded shrub.

**VICTOR EMANUEL**—Extremely large deep red flower, with compact cluster of yellow stamens. When this variety blooms at its best, few surpass it in color, form and size. Leaves are small dull green and pointed. A spreading grower but vigorous and hardy. A late bloomer.

**WILLIAMS MIDDLETON**—Semi-double dark red, medium to large flower. Midseason bloomer. Dull green foliage and a compact spreading shrub that grows well.

### VARIEGATED

**BRILLIANT, VARIEGATED**—Exactly like the solid red Brilliant except its flowers are mottled white. See description of solid red.

**CARDINAL RICHELIEU**—Medium size, peony-type red flower. Free bloomer, beginning in November, continuing into March. Large, glossy dark green foliage. Fast, upright and shapely grower, making a handsome shrub.

**FANNY BOLIS**—Semi-double, dark red flower blotched with white. Medium size and free bloomer over a long season from early until midseason. Dark green large elongated leaves. Upright grower. No Camellia grows into a hardier, or more lovely shrub.

**GOV. MOUTON**—Semi-double medium size flowers, blood red, frequently blotched white. The solid red is called Aunt Jetty. Dull green leaves. A vigorous grower, tending to spread. Midseason bloomer.

### PRICES CLASS "A"

12/18"	\$ 6.00
18/24"	7.50
2/3'	8.50
3/4'	10.00
4/5'	15.00

### STANDARD VARIETIES

These are the old stand-bys. Everybody wants them. They are freely propagated and plentiful, which accounts for low prices.

## PINK

**HALEY'S MONARCH (ENRICO BETTONI)**—Large, light pink, semi-double flower, opening nearly flat. Fast, tall grower. Very hardy.

**CAMEO PINK**—Medium size light pink flower. Opens as a formal double, but assumes a loose fluffy shape as it matures, showing stamens. Free bloomer in early midseason and through January. Light green foliage. A bushy, upright grower. A splendid variety and well regarded for a long time.

**PINK PERFECTION**—Full double, imbricated flower, medium size, shell pink. An early very free bloomer. Strong grower and upright. Light dull green leaves. Flowers appear before Christmas. An old favorite.

## RED

**BRILLIANT**—Medium size formal double, rose type, fully imbricated rose red flower. Heavy bloomer at midseason. Leaves are narrow, crinkled and dark green. Dense upright grower, making a good shrub, very popular and most satisfactory Camellia.

**GLOIRE de NANTES**—Large, semi-double to peony cerise flower. Petals twisted and stiff, stamens mixed. Broad, but long dark green leaves. Bushy fast upright grower. It should be worth while as a shrub if it never bloomed. Free bloomer at midseason.

**PRINCE EUGENE NAPOLEON**—Bright orange red flower, fully imbricated. The bloom has many small petals closely over-laying each other. Glossy light green leaves. Its flowers appear at Christmas and continue through midseason.

**PROF. C. S. SARGENT**—Rather large, full peony-type, flower deep red. Dark green foliage. Tall fast grower. An early bloomer. A long time favorite because of its hardiness and free blooming habit.

## VARIEGATED

**CHANDLERI ELEGANS**—Loose, peony-type red flower, mottled white. A huge blossom with large outer petals and petaloids mixed with stamens at center. The coloring varies greatly from rose pink to deep red, always showing much white. Leaves narrow, dark green. Strong, upright grower. For many years a strong favorite.

**HERME**—Medium to large, loose semi-double with many rounded petals, showing stamens in center. White with heavy pink and cardinal variegations, margins white. Coloring and markings are rarely



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the same in any two flowers even on the same plant. Foliage medium green, long and pointed. Upright, tall grower. Long midseason bloomer. Long a great favorite.

**MONARCH (GUNNELLI)**—Huge, peony-type blossom, deep pink, sometimes showing white splotches. Numerous small clusters of stamens and small petals are enclosed by large outer petals. A free midseason bloomer. Rich green foliage. A compact rounded shrub.

### PRICES STANDARD VARIETIES

18/24"	\$ 5.00
2/3'	6.50
3/4'	8.50
4/5'	12.50
5/6'	20.00
6/8'	25.00

## CAMELLIA SASANQUA

The Camellia Sasanqua is similar to the Camellia Japonica, but, a faster grower, more hardy, and stands more cold. It blooms profusely, commencing in early September and continuing close to Christmas. The three varieties listed below have been selected for propagation because we think they are the best from a standpoint of flowers, free blooming, shapeliness of shrub, fast and vigorous growth. The Sasanqua is splendid for hedges and good for specimen planting. As they become better known they will be more popular.

**CLEOPATRA**—Large single, cherry red flowers, often double, having crinkled petals. Blooms very early. Foliage dark green and glossy. A fast, vigorous and very compact grower, making a symmetrical and showy shrub.

**MINE-NO-YUKI (SNOW ON THE MOUNTAIN)**—Flowers are large, double white, borne in great profusion, covering the entire plant when in full flower. Early bloomer, when young, it is a loose, open grower. Becomes compact and well rounded as it grows older. Fast grower.

**ROSEA**—Brilliant pink single flowers appearing early in season and in great abundance. Small, dark green foliage. Upright dense growth and very fast, making a graceful shapely shrub.

### PRICES CAMELLIA 'SASANQUA

2/3'	4.00
3/4'	6.00
4/5'	8.00

## AZALEAS

Without doubt, Azaleas are the most outstanding flowering plants we have in the South. The blooming season is long, if the varieties are selected with that feature in view. The list of Azaleas we carry has been carefully selected for freeness of bloom, variety of color, character of foliage, and habit of growth. We have eliminated the plants that show weak growth, poor blooming habits, and poor foliage.

Perhaps no shrub can be used to greater advantage in landscaping the garden than Azaleas. They are splendid for foundation planting at the base of the home. This is especially true with the smaller and slower growing Kurumes. They are exceptionally good in borders and beds, or, as accent plants, spotted along evergreen shrubbery plantings.

Indica Azaleas grow very rapidly, making magnificent shrubs and cover themselves with blooms in February and March. They grow tall and broad. We have seen some plants as much as thirty feet in diameter and twenty-five feet high. The Kurumes grow more slowly. Their flowers are smaller, but, what they lack in size of flower they make up in number. In the blooming season they are simply a mass of color. They are becoming better known and much more widely used in garden planting.

## INDICA AZALEAS

**FIELDER'S WHITE**—Early to midseason bloomer. Large pure white flowers with a tinge of green in its throat. Hardy, fast, upright grower. Good foliage.

**MAGNOLIA WHITE**—Midseason bloomer. Very large, pure White flowers. Fast, strong grower, rather upright. Good foliage. Splendid. We think this is the most outstanding white of all azaleas. Very rare.

**ELEGANS**—Early to midseason bloomer. Light pink medium size flower, washed with violet. Fast, tall, open grower, with good foliage and free bloomer.

**FISHER'S PINK**—Midseason bloomer. Large, light pink flowers, with a slight tinge of delicate lavender. Hardy, fast, bushy grower. Splendid foliage. Covers itself with blossoms.

**GEORGE FRANC**—Early to midseason bloomer. Extremely large flowers, light pink with carmen red throat. Fast, dense spreading growth, good foliage. A profuse bloomer.

**PRIDE OF MOBILE**—Midseason bloomer. Large brilliant watermelon pink flowers literally cover the plant. Strong bushy grower. Fine foliage and a profuse grower. One of the best.



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**PRESIDENT CLAY**—Early to midseason bloomer. Medium size, soft deep orange red flowers. Fast, tall, open grower. Very hardy. Good foliage.

**LAWSAL**—Midseason bloomer. Medium size pure salmon flowers. Hardy, upright, bushy and fast grower. Excellent foliage and blooms in a great profusion.

**FORMOSA**—Midseason bloomer. Very large, deep rose lavender flowers. Robust, fast growing plant, well rounded, but upright. Splendid foliage. Very free bloomer.

**GEORGE LINDLEY TABER**—Midseason bloomer. Very large flower light shade of delicate lavender with a touch of deep pink in its throat. Fast, sturdy open grower with good foliage. Free flowering and a picture when in full bloom.

### PRICES INDICA AZALEAS

10/12"	\$ .75
12/15"	1.00
15/18"	1.50
18/24"	2.00
18/24"	2.50 Extra Heavy
30/36"	3.00
3/4'	5.00
4/5'	7.00

### KURUME AZALEAS

**AVALANCHE**—Midseason bloomer. Large, pure white, single flowers. Big round, light shiny green leaves. Fast, upright, open grower. A mass of white in full bloom.

**SNOW**—Midseason bloomer. Snow white, hose-in-hose (double) flowers. Foliage glossy green. Compact, rounded, strong grower. Extremely floriferous, completely covering itself with flowers.

**CORAL BELLS**—Midseason bloomer. Dainty colored pink, hose-in-hose (double) flowers shading lighter toward center. Small round green leaves. Dense, compact grower. Very free bloomer.

**DAINTY**—Midseason bloomer. Single flowers produced in clusters, light pink washed with light violet. Small shiny green leaves. Upright, compact grower. Free flowering.

**DAYBREAK**—Midseason bloomer. Light rose pink, single flowers with a silver sheen. Good green foliage. Compact upright good grower. Very heavy bloomer.

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**HORTENSIA**—Midseason bloomer. Soft, baby pink, hose-in-hose (double) flowers, borne in large clusters. Round, large glossy, dark green foliage. Upright, compact grower. Profuse bloomer.

**CHRISTMAS CHEER**—Midseason bloomer. Brilliant Christmas red hose-in-hose (double) flowers. Round, small shiny leaves. Slow, compact grower. Free flowering.

**HINODEGIRI**—Midseason bloomer. Brilliant scarlet red single flowers. Round glossy green foliage. Slow compact, twiggy growth, developing a broad, shapely shrub. Very free flowering. In full bloom, the foliage is hardly visible.

**SALMON BEAUTY**—Midseason bloomer. Large, salmon pink, hose-in-hose (double) flower. Foliage large, shiny green. Bushy fast grower. It smothers itself with flowers.

**SALMON PRINCE**—Midseason bloomer. Large, single flowers a light shade of salmon. Light green foliage. Compact, strong grower, making a rounded shrub. Very free flowering.

**APPLE BLOSSOM**—Late midseason. Lovely shade of pink touched with deeper shade, resembling an apple blossom. Glossy, green foliage. A compact strong grower. Free blooming.

**EXQUISITE**—Early to midseason bloomer. Large, light pink with bluish cast hose-in-hose (double) flowers. Oblong, shiny green foliage. Bushy, hardy grower. Very free flowering.

**MOUNTAIN LAUREL**—Midseason bloomer. White, shaded pink, single flowers. Good light green foliage. Fast, tall, but compact grower. Makes a good shrub.

**PEACH BLOW**—Early to midseason. Single flowers look like peach blossoms. Edges slightly ruffled. Light green leaves. Fast hardy compact, tall grower. Very free bloomer.

**PINK PEARL**—Early to midseason. Light pink hose-in-hose (double) flowers with a touch of salmon. Good foliage. Tall, bushy grower. Blooms freely in large clusters. Best when planted in semi-shade.

**MADAM PERICAT**—Midseason bloomer. Light, pale pink, large double flower very much like Belgian Pink Pearl. Fast, sturdy, bushy grower. A new hybrid Azalea from Bobink and Adkins.

**FUJIMOYA**—Midseason bloomer. Deep rose lavender single flower rather large for the Kurumes. Bushy dense grower with dark green foliage.



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### PRICES KURUME AZALEAS

8/10"	\$ .75
10/12"	1.25
12/15"	1.50
15/18"	2.50
18/24"	3.00

You are cordially invited to visit the nursery. It will be a pleasure to have you, especially during the blooming season. A few early varieties of Camellias have flowers in October. Many bloom in December. January and February bring a wealth of flowers. Azaleas usually start in late February or early March and last until about the first of April, all depending on the weather in a given season.

We keep at the nursery a specially prepared fertilizer for sale. It is the same that we use. A good deal of study and research was done in developing this formula. Soils in the South are varied, but, most areas have a sandy loam, devoid of minerals like iron, copper, zinc, manganese, magnesium and aluminum, which are valuable in plant feeding and culture. Armour Fertilizer Works, after thorough study, decided to make the fertilizer. Our interest is altogether inspired by the desire to see Azaleas and Camellias properly nourished. You may pick up a bag of this fertilizer at the nursery in your car.

Also, we carry a supply of peat humus at the nursery, which you may pick up in bags if you need a small quantity. Larger quantities can be delivered by truck at lower prices.

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